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For: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PUSH AND PULL DISTRIBUTION
OF MULTIMEDIA**

Appendix A

Please amend claim 1 as outlined in the following
"marked-up" copy:

1. (Amended) A system for distribution of digital media information to one or more recipients, the system comprising in combination:

- A. a media server;
- B. a plurality of affiliates located remotely from the media server;
- C. a one-way broadcast system to which the media server is connected and into which the media server can deliver information for broadcast to one or more affiliates;
- D. a two-way connection between the media server and plurality of affiliates; and
- E. a confirmation application running in connection with each affiliate and being adapted to provide confirmation of receipt of

the information by the affiliate to the media server through the two-way connection; and

F. a delivery application running in connection with the server in order to resend the information to [an affiliate] a selected one of said plurality of affiliates in the absence of receipt of confirmation from the selected affiliate of its receipt of such information, wherein the system is selectively enabled for push distribution, pull distribution and push-pull distribution of said digital media information.